

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of: Makoto Iwai et al. Confirmation No.: 4437

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Examiner: Barts, Samuel A.

For: NITROGEN-CONTAINING ORGANOSILICON COMPOUND,  
METHOD OF MANUFACTURE, AND METHOD OF TREATING  
SURFACES

**AMENDMENT**

Mailstop AMENDMENT  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on May 16, 2007, please amend the claims as follows and consider the accompanying remarks. A complete listing of all claims pending in the application is included in accordance with 37 CFR § 1.121.